

Transportation Safety Division Daily Situation Report (SITREP)

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Date updated: February 6, 2022 12:00 PM

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Situation to date: Convoy for Freedom Protest Preparation

Actions to date: Operational preparation

Actions to be completed:

- Details provided below

Other - Protest

Protest continues in Ottawa (Parliament Hill). No further information regarding Queens Park in Toronto.

Protest convoy present in Windsor and Sarnia. Slow roll/stop in Sarnia and closure of areas of highway 402 (see below chart for more information).

Known protests planned for Sunday, February 6, 2022:

- Convoy from Calgary second wave departing to Ottawa
- Waterloo
- Huntsville
- Hearst
- Bracebridge
- Echo Bay
- Hanover-Walkerton
- Bolton
- Sarnia Tractor Convoy
- North Bay
- Lambton - park and block hwy 402 from 2pm to 4pm and exit at hwy 40
- Windsor – slow roll

For situational awareness:

Additional convoys are being reported in various areas of Ontario. Expect that there will be “pop-up” convoys throughout the province. Information may not always be received in advance due to the ad hoc and fluid nature of the protests.

Convoy for Freedom Reporting:

Date:	Region	Events:	Notes - Operational Updates and Impacts
February 6, 2022	WEST	Convoy currently in Windsor and Sarnia. Sarnia Lambton:	MTO will assist as usual practice if requested.

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		HWY 402 Westbound between Highway 40 / Modeland Road and Front Street. All lanes closed.	Approximately 5 Transportation Enforcement Officers scheduled in the region. Focus will be on highway patrol and will be available to assist OPP. OPP is aware MTO Officers will be available upon request.
February 6, 2022	CENTRAL	Expected that protestors may be at Queens Park again today, Sunday, February 6, 2022. No traffic issues to report along the major highways at this time. Several convoy/protests planned within the region.	MTO will assist as usual practice if requested by OPP. OPP have a command post set up again today at the Central Region Transportation Management Centre. MTO Incident Commander will be working with OPP at the command post again today. CEIB will deploy approximately 49 Transportation Enforcement Officers tomorrow to the area to assist with traffic management and remain available to assist the OPP upon request. OPP is aware MTO Transportation Enforcement Officers will be available upon request.
February 6, 2022	EAST	Convoys continue in the City of Ottawa with additional vehicles and protestors attending today. Several convoy/protests planned within the region.	MTO will assist as usual practice if requested by OPP. Contacted by OPP and a traffic control crew is standby should OPP request assistance. Approximately 17 Transportation Enforcement Officers scheduled in the region. Focus will be on highway patrol and will be available to assist OPP. OPP is aware MTO Officers will be available upon request

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February 6, 2022	NORTHEAST	Several convoy/protests planned within the region.	MTO will assist as usual practice if requested by OPP.
February 6, 2022	NORTHWEST	Convoys have moved through the region.	MTO will assist as usual practice if requested by OPP.